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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

FERRICK et al.

Serial No.: Not Assigned

Filed: Herewith

For: *Methods and Compositions for
Screening for Modulators of IgE
Synthesis, Secretion and Switch
Rearrangement*

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is submitted further to the amendment mailed 27 September, 2001 regarding the continuation filing of United States Serial Number 09/076,624 filed 5/12/1998. Applicants request that the amendment be entered prior to examination of the claims.

It is believed that no fees are due at this time. However, should the Commissioner determine otherwise, he is authorized to charge any additional fees or other relief which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-66038-4/RMS/JJD/DLR).

Please enter the following amended claim set into the above identified application: